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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
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TITLE OF INVENTION: PACKET-SWITCHING NETWORK WITH SYMMETRICAL TOPOLOGY AND METHOD OF ROUTING PACKETS

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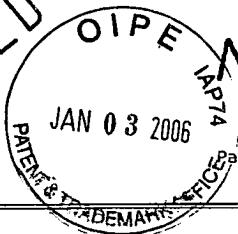
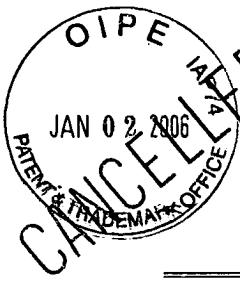
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